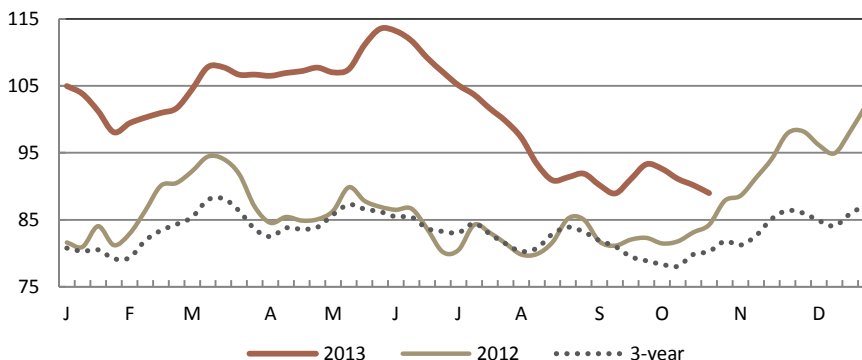




NATIONAL COMPOSITE WEIGHTED AVERAGE

	Wtd Avg	Change	1,000 lbs.
This Week:	88.98	↓ 1.18	11,747
Last Week:	90.17		11,885
Last Year:	88.58	↑ 0.40	11,470
Monthly Composite Weighted Average			
Oct	90.02		33,279



WEEK IN REVIEW

Whole bird prices are trending steady to weak. Offerings are light to moderate. Retail and food service demand is light to moderate with increased interest and movement expected for the first of the month and weekend business. Floor stocks are mixed ranging light to heavy with many buyers cautious and limiting orders to immediate needs. Market activity is slow to moderate.

EASTERN REGION

THIS WEEK							LAST WEEK	
	Price Range	Majority	Wtd Avg	Change	1,000 lbs.		Wtd Avg	1,000 lbs.
Whole Body:	77.00 - 115.00	88.00 - 94.00	92.68	↑ 0.14	5,590		92.54	5,480
WOGS:	82.00 - 111.00	89.00 - 93.00	90.20	↓ 0.64	1,396		90.84	1,414
NEW YORK								
Whole Body:	83.00 - 98.75	87.00 - 92.00	90.25	↓ 0.91	1,365		91.16	1,438

CENTRAL REGION

THIS WEEK							LAST WEEK	
	Price Range	Majority	Wtd Avg	Change	1,000 lbs.		Wtd Avg	1,000 lbs.
Whole Body:	74.00 - 105.00	77.00 - 86.00	84.05	↓ 1.65	3,587		85.70	3,657
WOGS:	74.00 - 105.00	77.00 - 84.00	82.54	↓ 1.91	2,772		84.45	2,897
CHICAGO								
Whole Body:	74.00 - 105.00	77.00 - 86.00	84.30	↓ 0.68	2,150		84.97	2,320

WESTERN REGION

THIS WEEK							LAST WEEK	
	Price Range	Majority	Wtd Avg	Change	1,000 lbs.		Wtd Avg	1,000 lbs.
Whole Body:	75.00 - 105.00	82.00 - 89.00	87.83	↓ 3.54	2,571		91.37	2,749
WOGS:	75.00 - 94.00	84.00 - 89.00	86.57	↓ 4.09	2,340		90.66	2,474
LOS ANGELES								
Whole Body:	75.00 - 103.00	84.00 - 89.00	86.87	↓ 3.93	2,216		90.80	1,960

EXPLANATORY NOTES

Negotiated prices in trucklot and less-than-trucklot quantities of ready-to-cook whole body broiler/fryers delivered to first receivers; prices in cents per pound; volume in thousands of pounds.

Eastern Region: AL,CT,DE,FL,GA,MA,MD,ME,MS,NC,NH,NJ,NY,PA,RI,SC,TN,VT,VA,WV. **Central Region:** AR,CO,IA,IL,IN,KS,KY,LA,MI,MN,MO,NE,NM,OK,OH,SD,TX,WI. **Western Region:** AZ,CA,ID,MT,NV,OR,UT,WA,WY.

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